

LUMINARY.

PARKVILLE, TUESDAY, JUNE 13, '54.

For Kansas River.

That fine little craft, the "Exel," was at our landing, bound for Fort Riley, on Friday last.

We are informed that probably on the next trip, she will make a pleasure excursion up Kansas to the new Fort, the expense for the whole ride not to get over \$10 each person. Those who wish to get a glimpse of the country on each side of the Kansas River, can find no better opportunity than such a trip will afford.

The Exel will go up the Smoky-Hill as far as the stage of water will admit.

Several will go from Parkville. Those who wish to join in the excursion, we give their names at this office. Some have done so already.

Bible Society's Depot.

The American Bible Society have established a Depot in Parkville, at the Pioneer Store of Aspling & Stevens. A supply of Bibles and Testaments, of all sizes, has just been received, and is being sold at low prices.

Testaments can be had at from 7c. to 10c.; Bibles in Morocco, gilt, 30c.; Testaments, and Psalms 50c. in large print, 55c.; also, Testaments, in large print, 30c. Bibles from 30c. to 50c.

Large Family Bibles, good print and excellent paper, will bound, for \$2.50; or full bound calf, gilt, \$3.50.

A large number of the above, have already been sold. Those desirous of purchasing had better call immediately.

POTATOES STAMPS.—Of all the useful and fancy things just received at the Drug Store, by our friends Drs. Clardy & Hewitt, few will be more highly appreciated than the Potatoe Stamps and Envelopes. For the benefit of their customers, and the public generally, the Doctors have procured a supply of these necessary articles. They have no profit by such transactions; it would be therefore too bad with them abundance of that business; we can, however, most cordially thank them for the accommodation they afford.

COMMERCIAL.

PARKVILLE PRICES CURRENT.

PARKVILLE, JUNE 13, 1854.

Corrected weekly by Aspling & Stevens, Merchants, Produce Dealers and Steamboat Agents.

PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS.

Bulk meal	per 100 lbs	\$4.50 to \$5.00
Wheat	"	\$6.00 to \$7.50
Barley	"	\$4.00 to \$5.00
Hay	"	10 to 15
Alfalfa	"	10 to 15
Timothy	"	10 to 15
Flax seed	"	8 to 10
Flax	"	8 to 10
Wheat	" bushel	\$1.00
Flour	" 100 lbs	\$3.50
Wheat	" 100 lbs	\$3.50
Feathers	" lb	35 to 40
Hens	" lb	16 to 20
Chickens	" lb	12 to 15
Geese	" lb	10 to 15
Turkeys	" lb	10 to 15
Butter	" lb	60 to 75
White	" lb	75 to 80
Yellow	" lb	75 to 80
Peas	" lb	50 to 60
Beans	" lb	50 to 60
Onions	" lb	50 to 60
Carrots	" lb	50 to 60
Turnips	" lb	50 to 60
Apples	" lb	50 to 60
Pears	" lb	50 to 60
Plums	" lb	50 to 60
Cherries	" lb	50 to 60
Strawberries	" lb	50 to 60
Raspberries	" lb	50 to 60
Blackberries	" lb	50 to 60
Blueberries	" lb	50 to 60
Gooseberries	" lb	50 to 60
Currents	" lb	50 to 60
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Cunningham & Bird.

MANUFACTURERS OF

SADDLES, BRIDLES, HARNESS, &c., &c.

Main Street, Parkville, Mo.

THE undersigned have purchased the stock of Mr. B. F. Nicholson, and made large additions to their stock, and are prepared to furnish articles in our line at the shortest notice and of the very best quality. We will be constantly manufacturing and adding to our stock, and are prepared to be warranted to be of the very best quality.

M. T. SUMMERS & CO.

DRY GOODS & GROCERY

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Water Street, Parkville, Missouri.

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WILLIAM MCN. CLOUGH,

NOTARY PUBLIC FOR PLATTE CO., AND

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR

AT-LAW.

PARKVILLE, MO.

WILL practice his profession in the Counties of Platte, Clay, Jackson, Buchanan, and Clinton, and will promptly attend to the preparation and collection of claims throughout Northwest Missouri.

CISTERN AND CISTERN

PUMPS.

H. B. POWELL

RESPECTFULLY announces to the inhabitants of this city and vicinity, that he is prepared to dig Cisterns on short notice—filling them with the best Cement.

He has also on hand, for sale, a large quantity of Cisterns, which he will sell cheap.

H. B. Powell will contract to dig cisterns and set up the pumps, on very moderate terms. He warrants his work, or they may be procured from any other source.

Persons in want of his services, can ascertain terms, &c., by calling at his residence, on Main Street, or they may be procured from any other source.

MAY 10—1

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that letters of administration, do issue on bearing date 3d May, 1854, to the undersigned, by the Judge of the Probate Court of Platte County, Mo., on the estate of Jeremiah Riley, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate, are requested to present them for allowance within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit in said estate; and if said claims are not presented within three years, they shall be forever barred.

J. H. BENTON, Adm'r.

FOR SALE.

I wish to sell my real estate in Parkville, consisting of Fifteen Lots, and on them Two First Class Dwelling Houses. Terms very accommodating. Apply to me.

B. M. CRIST.

PROSPECTUS

OF

T. H. BENTON'S

GREAT WORK.

THIRTY Years' View; or a History of the

working of the American Government for

Thirty years; from 1820 to 1850.

50,000 COPIES taken! This Volume,

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1820 to the close of Gen. Jackson's adminis-

tration, will be sold to subscribers at the

low sum of \$2.50 per copy, which renders it

a cheap work ever offered to the American

people.

D. Appleton & Co., of N. Y., publishers

and sole proprietors have appointed Jesse

John of Knox county, the agent for North

Missouri, who will give an opportunity

to those wishing to obtain the work.

We are authorized to say that the book

cannot be had only through the proper agents,

that the same cannot be obtained by book-

keepers, and that the agents will supply them

as soon as possible in the order they are sub-

scribed for.

APR. 13, 1854.—3w J. JOHN, Agent.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing be-

tween Geo. S. Park and T. C. S. Ashby is

dissolved. All those indebted to the Firm

will make payment to Geo. S. Park.

GEO. S. PARK.

T. C. S. ASHBY.

PARKVILLE, Mo., 1st May, 1854.

LEWIS A. FORD

T. C. S. ASHBY

PARKVILLE

STEAM FLOUR MILL

FORD & ASHBY.

WOULD inform the Farmers, Merchants, and

others, in Parkville and vicinity, that the

Firm have purchased this well-known and excellent

Flouring Mill, and are now ready to put Wheat

and other grain to mill, at current market prices.

The Parkville brand of Flour has always ranked

A. 1, and will be the steady main of the new

Firm as maintained, and will produce the very

best articles of Flour and Meal that can be

made.

Orders from Country Merchants, or from Dealers

in the River towns, will be promptly filled, at

liberal rates.

50 Farmers will find it for their interest

to send their Flour to be made here.

May 2—1

Dissolution.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between

William H. Bryan and Ruth McComas was

dissolved on the 12th April, by the death of Mr.

Bryan. All debts due the concern will be collected,

and all demands against it, may be paid to

RUTH McCOMAS.

R. McCOMAS.

B. C. VIVION.

McCOMAS & VIVION,

DEALERS IN

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

Dry Goods,

BOOTS AND SHOES, HARDWARE,

FAMILY GROCERIES, QUEEN'S

WARE, CLOTHING, &c., &c.

MAIN STREET, PARKVILLE, MO.

SPRING and Summer Goods, Staple

Wear, Ladies' Dress Goods and Trimmings,

opening for sale by

1367 PAIRS of Boots and Shoes, of every

Description, Size, Quality, and Price

just received by

McCOMAS & VIVION.

HARDWARE and Cutlery of all kinds, from

a good Collins Axe to a fine Cambric Needle

always on hand at the

McCOMAS & VIVION.

MEN and Boys' Hats, a Big Lot just

received, together with 3 or 4 Boxes Ladies' Bonnets,

which we will sell cheap, if we only have a

chance.

McCOMAS & VIVION.

PETER T. ADRI.

B. F. STRONGFELLOW.

ABELL & BENJAMIN FELLOW.

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